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In re application of:

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**DECISION ON PETITION** 

Serial No.: 09/924,404 Filed: August 7, 2001

For: ELECTROLYTIC GENERATION OF NITROGEN

This is a decision on the petition received on October 22, 2002, to withdraw the holding of abandonment in the above-identified application.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply within the meaning of 37 C.F.R. 1.113 in timely manner to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed August 29, 2001. Which set a shortened statutory period for reply of two (2) months. Accordingly, this application became abandoned October 30, 2001.

On October 22, 2002, the office received a communication from the attorney of record. Enclosed was an acknowledgement that the attorney never received the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed on August 29, 2001.

The petition is hereby GRANTED.

The documents received on April 23, 2002, will be used to complete the above application for release to Technology Center 1638.

The Office regrets any inconvenience this may have caused the client.

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